

## House Resolution No. 2001

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

**Whereas**, Dan Neal, an esteemed resident of Springfield, Missouri, will officially retire from the Fordland R-III School District on July 1, 2005, after a rewarding career in education that has spanned an incredible twenty-seven years; and

**Whereas**, Dan Neal has played an integral role in the educational development of several Missouri youngsters as the Principal at Fordland Elementary School for twenty-six years, prior to which time he served as a Principal with the Miller County R-III School District; and

**Whereas**, during his impressive tenure, Dan Neal witnessed with pleasure as Fordland Elementary School earned two Distinction in Performance Awards and placed in the Top Ten Most Improved School on MAP tests a total of five times; and

**Whereas**, Dan Neal has compiled an enviable list of service to several important organizations which include the Southwest District Elementary Principal's Association, Missouri Association of Elementary School Principals, National Association of Elementary School Principals, and Phi Delta Kappa; and

**Whereas**, Dan Neal has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, Debbie; and his son, Brian:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Dan Neal for his twenty-seven years of unparalleled service to the Fordland R-III School District and to the teaching profession; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dan Neal.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Michael L. Cunningham  
District No. 145

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 2001, adopted April 11, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker